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GRAND JURY REPORT CALAVERAS CO.

Scores J. S. Jack.

From Calaveras Prospect Dec. 11, 1907

In our report rendered at our first meeting on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1906, this Grand Jury stated that they found no evidence of any money having been paid out as salary, fees or for any other purpose by the board of supervisors during the last year without authority of law, or otherwise unlawfully.

Since rendering the above report our attention has been called to what might be called an exception to the above, and the district attorney of the county has made the following communication to the grand jury, which communication is herewith embodied in our report.

Office of the district attorney, Calaveras county, California, August, 1907.
To the grand jury of Calaveras county, Cal.
Gentlemen:

Under and by virtue of sections 6, 7, 8, 9 and 215 of the county government, Act of 1903, and section 9, article 11 of the constitution of the state of California, I note the following for your consideration.

1. Shortly after coming into office, my attention was directed to certain claims of J. S. Jack, presented to and allowed by the board of supervisors, for the indexing of the mining records of this county.

2. On inquiry, I found that, in October, 1904, the board of supervisors passed a resolution authorizing J. S. Jack, as county recorder, to have the mining records of this county properly indexed and agreeing to pay five cents for each name and mine so indexed to the person who should do said indexing under the authority and direction of said J. S. Jack.

3. It appears that up to October 1, 1906, a period of two years, no work had been done under the authority of said resolution. It also appears that, about this time J. S. Jack engaged Bruce Burleson to do said indexing, with a final agreement to pay him for his labor one third of what the board of supervisors allowed for the work.

4. Under this arrangement, the work was continued until March of the present year, at which time, I notified the auditor and treasurer to stop payment of these claims, brought the matter to the attention of the supervisors and further work on the mining records was discontinued pending a settlement of the question at issue.

5. During this period there had been paid personally to J. S. Jack for said indexing the following sums: Warrant No. 1794, presented and paid in Nov. 1906, for \$145.00.

Warrant No. 1969, presented and paid in Dec. 1906, for \$212.80.

Warrant No. 138, presented and paid in Jan. 1907, for \$242.90.

Warrant No. 267, presented and paid in Feb. 1907, for \$211.90.

The warrant for March was ordered held up but not presented.

Of these sums, Bruce Burleson was paid one-third, the remaining two-thirds being retained by J. S. Jack for his own use and benefit.

6. These claims were presented on each completed volume as per the terms of the resolution.

In addition to these sums, there was due for indexing performed during this same period on uncompleted volumes, and for which no claim could be presented until completed, the further sum of \$699.40 making a total of \$1512.00 for a period of five months work, or an average of \$302.40 per month.

7. Section 215 of the county government act states that the salaries and fees provided in the act is in full compensation for all services of every kind and description rendered by the officers therein named—unless otherwise provided.

This section is based on section 9, article 11 of the state constitution.

Section 920 of the political code also provides that officers must not be interested in any contract made by them in their official capacity, or by any body or board of which they are members, and section 71 of the penal code provides a penalty for violation of same.

8. It will thus be seen that, up to noon of January 11th, 1907 when the newly elected clerk and recorder took office, J. S. Jack had violated the provision of these sections in taking for his own use and benefit the greater part of the money paid by the board of supervisors for said indexing of mining records.

9. In arriving at the amount of money thus paid and which J. S. Jack should return to the county, it was found impossible to determine how much of the work had been done each month. I therefore, took the average of the total amount of the work done in the five months, namely \$302.40 per month, multiplied this by 3 1/4 the number of months employed on indexing up to January 7, 1907, which gave a total of \$982.80. Of this amount one-third, or \$327.60 should belong to Bruce Burleson as per the terms of his agreement with J. S. Jack, the remaining two-thirds, or \$655.20 should be returned to the county by J. S. Jack.

10. It will also be noted that the price paid for said indexing, namely, an average of \$302.40 per month, which work was performed by a youth of about 16 years, is exorbitant and out of all reason for the services performed and a price of two cents a name would have been a very liberal price for the work to be done.

11. These facts and figures were duly presented to board of supervisors at the several meetings of the board held in the months of March, April and May of the present year.

12. J. S. Jack at first resented any idea of a wrong intention on his part, claiming that he was entitled to the money by virtue of the resolution of the board and that he did not make any money out of his office. He afterwards, however, receded from this position and, after making several propositions which I rejected, stated that he did not agree with my figures and considered he only owed the county \$400.00, but offered to compromise the matter by returning \$500.00 to the county, and to be allowed to finish the work at the same rate as stated in the resolution of the board.

13. This offer was submitted to the board by him and by them accepted.

14. With the consent of the board, the return of the \$500.00 was accomplished by deducting \$500.00 from the sum of \$699.40 still due on completed work, and allowing J. S. Jack a claim for \$199.40 as per warrant No. 1112 of June, 1907, in full for all services on mining records up to date.

These transactions, however, do not appear on the minutes of the board.

On the same day of the above compromise the board of supervisors entered into an agreement with J. S. Jack, at his request, whereby he was to continue the work of indexing the mining records of the county at the same rate as in the first resolution.

JAMES KEILH,
District Attorney.

From this report it appears that J. S. Jack the county recorder of this county was authorized to secure the services of some person to do certain work for the county at an agreed rate, that the said J. S. Jack engaged such person at a rate of one-third of the amount allowed by the supervisors for such work but that he, J. S. Jack, sent in bills for the full amounts as originally agreed on by the board of supervisors as the compensation to be paid the party doing the work.

It further appears that said J. S. Jack on his attention being called to the illegality of his act, withdrew his demands on the county treasury for the performance of work to the extent of \$500.00, it being impossible to ascertain the exact amount of money illegally drawn in the matter. It further appears that after J. S. Jack had ceased to be a county officer, and therefore could legally take up the business of indexing the mining records for pay the board of supervisors continued to allow his bills for doing the work at the same exorbitant rate as fixed in the first instance viz., 5 cents per name, although fully aware that said Jack had secured another person's services to do the same work at one-third of the price viz., one and two-thirds cents per name and that the person doing said work had made over \$100.00 per month, which would show that that figure was a good and reasonable compensation. It also seems that said J. S. Jack was brought before the said board of supervisors by the district attorney, but without any action resulting from the reform.

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Rearrested on Felony Charge.

Albion Brookfield, who was committed to the Preston school by the justice court of Crescent City on a petty larceny charge of stealing 50 cents, and who was discharged by superior judge Wood of this county on habeas corpus proceedings, on the ground that the justice of the peace exceeded his jurisdiction in committing the accused, as commitments to the reform school, can be made by superior courts only, was rearrested in San Francisco last Saturday. It is the same case virtually on which the previous commitment was made. It is alleged that the boy broke into a store in Crescent City and stole a quantity of goods, the value of which amounted to more than \$50, the minimum amount to constitute a felony. The charge however, was reduced to 50 cents as a petty larceny case, to which the boy pleaded guilty, and was sent to the lone school, and liberated on habeas corpus. It is said his friends intend to contest the case. He will be taken back to Crescent City for trial.

After a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulets, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulets bring easy, regular passages of the bowels.

Amador Association Meet

The Amador County Association formed two years ago for the purpose of perpetrating sociality among all former residents of this county now living in and around San Francisco and Oakland, will hold their second annual meeting at East Shore Park, Alameda county, on May 15. This is a beautiful resort, well provided with amusements for the young folks and adults. No doubt there will be a large attendance.

Card of Thanks.

West Point, April 24, 1909.
We wish to thank the Masonic and Odd Fellows fraternities, our friends and neighbors, for assistance and sympathy in our late bereavement.
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MINING NOTES.

Kennedy—An accident happened at this mine on Friday evening last which has brought underground work, as far as the extraction of ore is concerned, to a complete standstill ever since. It was about half-past seven o'clock, and a load of timbers was being lowered in the main shaft. Fortunately no one was on the skip. How the mishap occurred is therefore left in a great measure to conjecture. It is supposed that the skip got off the runners or track. Going at the lightning speed usual in this deep shaft, things were torn up in terrible shape. There was nothing to indicate to the engineer on top that anything was amiss. From 75 to 100 feet above the 1900 level was wrecked. It was thought it would take fully a week to get things in working order again. All the miners have been laid off temporarily, except a force of 21 men engaged in repairing the damage. And the taking out of water has also been stopped. This, however, is a small matter, as when the shaft is again opened the water can be hoisted out in the course of a few hours. The mill has been kept going, as there was a large quantity of ore in the bins when this misfortune occurred. The number of men laid off is in the neighborhood of 300.

A full crew of men were on the underground works at the time. Also sinking was in progress below the 3200 level. As soon as possible instructions were sent to all the men to make their way out to the surface. This meant a formidable climb up the manways in the various stopes, a distance of 800 feet, and a tramp through the levels to the north shaft, from which they were hoisted to the surface. Not a man was injured in any way. The exit of the employees in this way consumed between one and two hours, as they kept together as much as possible, to render assistance to each other whenever necessary.

The ore in the bins it was expected, would be all crushed some time today, and the mill would come to a standstill. It is thought that the damage will be repaired so that the men can resume work next Monday.

Up to yesterday the descending skip was still buried in the mass of debris in the shaft, the repairing crew not having reached the point where it was covered up.

A Dump Nuisance.

Much complaint is heard concerning the disgraceful condition of affairs in connection with the city dumping ground between the Zeila mine and Scottsville. It is the easiest thing in the world for a public dump—intended of course, for sanitary purposes and cleanliness, to degenerate into a nuisance, and become a menace to the health of the community. All that is necessary is to neglect to look after it, and it will most certainly reach this point in short order. The dump has reached this condition, and is getting worse every day. Steve Ferrari was in from near Butte this week, prepared to swear out a complaint against the city authorities for maintaining a nuisance or to take such other action as may be necessary to abate it. The rubbish that is taken from the city is dumped there indiscriminately. Much of it consists of material that might be burned, but it is left unattended to, paper blowing to the four winds, and disgraceful from every view point. Not only this, but persons taking rubbish supposed to go to the dump, often discharge their load before reaching the proper place, and in this way the public highway is strewn with offensive and unsightly material. All this exists for the lack of a little care. And it will grow worse right along unless something is done at once to safeguard the public welfare. A city has no more right to countenance or maintain a nuisance than an individual. It was the same with the county dump years ago. It became such an eyesore that it had to be abolished.

South Eureka Changing House Burned.

For the second time inside of two months the changing house of the South Eureka Mine went up in smoke at a late hour last night. Since the last fire about six weeks ago, an old building has been temporarily used by the men to change and dry their clothes in. The structure was used for this purpose as a make-shift, until a more substantial building could be erected. About midnight yesterday, this caught fire in some way unknown. It was entirely destroyed, with most of its contents in men's clothing and mining supplies, which included a quantity of oil, fuse, etc. The amount of loss we have not learned.

EXPERTING THE BOOKS

A copy of the Calaveras Prospect, dated December 14, 1907, has been sent by some party unknown to this office. It contains extracts from the final report of the grand jury of 1906, and this article bears blue pencil marks to draw our attention thereto. The report severely criticises the action of J. S. Jack, former county clerk and recorder of that county. This portion of the article we republish in another column, because of the fact that J. S. Jack has been selected to expert the books of county officials in Amador county for the four years preceding January 1, 1909. He is now engaged in this work at a salary of \$5 per day, subject to the revocation of his appointment at any time by the board of supervisors. We know nothing of the merits of the case of alleged illegal conduct in Calaveras county beyond what is contained in the grand jury report, and refrain from commenting thereon. But in view of the facts therein brought to light the selection of the expert is, to say the least, placed in a very peculiar light. His position as expert calls upon him to investigate similar instances of misconduct in office in Amador county as are reported by the grand jury of Calaveras county. If a county official has drawn money from the county treasury, outside of his official salary, and without the express sanction of law, it is his duty to report every such instance as a breach of trust. If an official has become interested in any contract—sold any article to the county—is not that likewise in the same category, coming under the ban of the law quoted by the district attorney of Calaveras county, and which is made a part of the grand jury report. If any official has made a contract for supplies at a rate contrary to the legal rate established by the board—and this is put forward by the Democratic organ in its last issue as the final subterfuge and excuse for its outrageous pilfering—that also calls for ventilation at the hands of the expert, inasmuch as it falls within the four years covered by his contract. Truly, things are moving in a "mysterious way" in official circles in Amador county, but whether they are moving in a straight line or in circular fashion is a disputable point at present. The result will be watched with interest.

A WORTHY EXAMPLE.

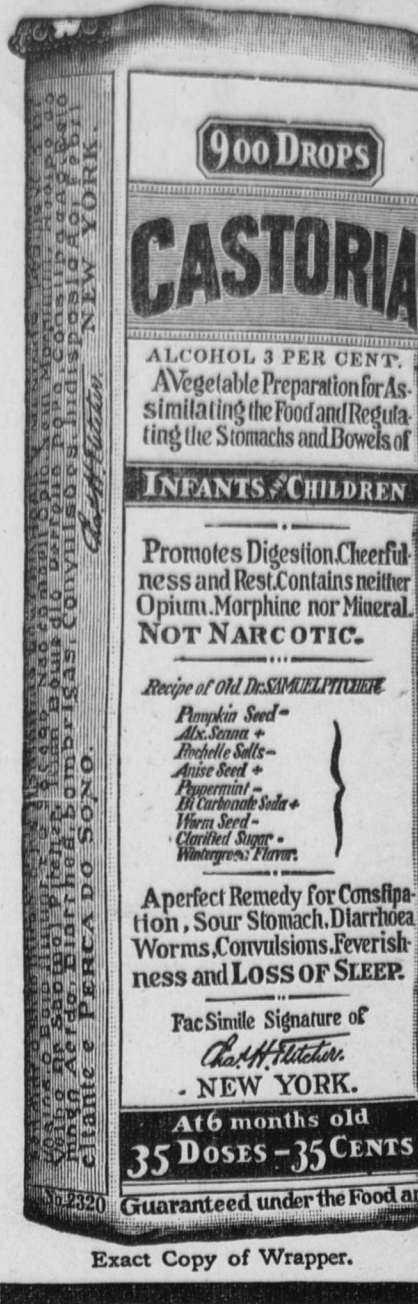
It is interesting to look over newspapers published in the English language in the remote parts of the world. By comparison the press of America is far in the lead in the dissemination of news. In some respects, however, we might with advantage imitate the ways of the outsiders. For instance, we have before us a copy of the "Witness," published at Pietermaritzburg, capital of Natal, South Africa. And therein we notice several columns of names of residents of that city who sign a solemn pledge that for a period of one year they will buy everything they need from local dealers. This is intended to foster home trade and home industries; to assist the tradesmen and merchants who are residents of that place in preference to sending off their orders to foreign parts, even if they do have to pay a trifle higher prices for the articles. Surely, this is a spirit worthy of emulation everywhere. How much money is sent from Jackson and other towns in Amador county to outside dealers, where the same goods might just as well be bought at home, and probably could be bought in many cases at substantially the same price. The trade lost in this way is no doubt enough to make all the difference between dull and lively times. We don't believe in building a Chinese wall of exclusiveness; but there ought to be fostered that local patriotism which regards as a sacred duty the patronage of local tradesmen in preference to others. We owe loyalty first to the place in which our lot is cast, and wherein we are making a living. The amount of business that flows outside simply from captiousness, is considerable. It would probably aggregate in volume more than any single merchant in Jackson is now doing. And it is almost exclusively the spot cash trade. Why not resolve like the residents of the South African town above referred to, that for the coming twelve months each resident will buy what he or she may need from a home house. Furthermore, it is as much the duty of the merchants and other business men to display the same consideration in placing their orders for what they need. It is incumbent upon them to set the example. It seems inconsistent for one to complain of others sending away for goods, while at the same time the complainant himself is running in the same groove himself, making out his bills on forms printed outside, and so forth. If all would unite in fostering home industry in the manner herein indicated there would be a surprising revival of business in Jackson in a very short time.

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Diamonds Becoming to Few Women Brunettes Can Wear Them.

Jewel wearing is an art few women understand. Women should choose gems becoming to their beauty and complexion.

On dull eyed days the eyes will appear duller with diamonds in the ears, and the sad, pale woman will appear livid wearing pearls.

Diamonds are becoming to few women. There are brunettes who can wear them in the ears and appear well. The pale blond also looks pretty with diamonds in her ears, but the average woman should wear her diamonds elsewhere.

Some wear topaz and other yellow stones who dare not venture to wear brilliant colors. They take to all shades of yellow, from amber to the pale shades of tortoise shell and gold.

The amber loving woman has a creamy complexion. Her skin is clear, and a faint red shows in the cheeks. There is the topaz beauty also, whose skin is creamy, with a touch of olive in it. She looks lovely with rubies in her ears, but pearls are not for her.

Lucky the woman who can wear coral. A coral skinned beauty's cheeks must be as bright as the reddest coral, with shadings of delicate pink. It is a good plan to rub the cheeks with a rough towel, to massage them with good creams and use plenty of water, not forgetting an occasional milk bath.

Turquoises are difficult to wear to advantage. The stones bring out the pallor. A baby face with eyes of clear, shining blue looks well with turquoises near it. The black eyed woman and the woman with brownish eyes should not attempt to wear them, for the stones are too bright. The woman with turquoise eyes can wear a string of blue around her neck advantageously and can put turquoises in her ears.

THE HOME CARPENTER.

Many Women Take Courses in Manual Training.

The thrifty woman does her own odd jobs around the house. To wait for her husband is hard on the patience, and dependence on a carpenter for little breaks is both a time and money waster.

Many women today are taking a simple course in manual training for no other reason than to be independent when a chair breaks down or a faucet springs a leak. Light sets of tools are made especially for their use, and they soon acquire a skill as to quite disprove the old nail driving slander.

There are housekeepers who can put on a washer, tinker with a broken grate or put in burned out fire brick as well as a professional. They learn how to supply missing panes of glass or scrape and do over a chair or table.

One young woman who in the zeal of keeping her new home in good condition took lessons from an old carpenter in repair work soon developed such an aptitude with tools that she studied woodcarving and upon the death of her husband carried it on successfully as a profession.

Skill in mending is a particularly useful accomplishment for a woman who lives in the country or far from a carpenter. If there is no way to take a course in manual training, a carpenter or plumber can generally be found who will teach the rudiments of repairing for a small fee.

BEAUTY HINTS.

To improve the contour of the face try filling the cheeks with air and letting it explode with a soft explosive sound. Do this fifteen or twenty times a day.

A glass of hot water taken just after rising, a half hour before breakfast, will cure indigestion.

Very hot water externally applied will stop dangerous bleeding.

It is as important not to get too thin as too fat, as either condition makes even a young girl look several years older than her actual age. A girl who considers herself fully grown should ascertain what is the correct weight for her height and then try to attain and maintain that standard.

Peroxide of hydrogen is a harmless bleach when used in moderation. Pour a little in a saucer and apply with a soft linen cloth. It may be used several times a week without injury.

Overplump girls should carefully study their figures and decide where in they are faulty. Usually the waist line is too high. The waist may be lengthened by touching the floor with the finger tips twenty times every morning. This practice is better than wearing shape making corsets, for when the waist is too tightly confined the figure loses its natural grace and ease of movement.

Somersaults are not dignified, but they are one of the best of all weight reducing exercises. They will take off fat rapidly and safely—barring a few bruises—unless one has a tendency to heart weakness.

Weakness of the heart is indicated by breathlessness after any slight exertion and by such evidences of imperfect circulation as pale finger nails and cold extremities.

The harder the toothbrush the more effectually it cleans the teeth.

Alcohol or ether will dry the hair quickly, but it will turn the hair gray.

One cannot have a pretty hand if the fingers are broad at the tips. Pressing down on the ends of the fingers from the first joint to the tip will, if done many times a day, remedy this defect.

Before starting for a lengthy morning walk a glass of milk should be indulged in.

To get the full value of cold cream it must be let dry on the face. It takes time for the skin to absorb it.

OFFICIAL MAP

—OF—

Amador County

veys by D. C. CARLTON, showing township and school district boundaries, ownership of all lands according to assessment roll of 1904, mineral claims, canals, location of all school-houses; also a townsite map of principal towns, namely Jackson, Sutter Creek, Ione, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth and Volcano.

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Amador County Descriptive Article

Amador county comprises an area of 548 square miles. It lies on the western slope of Sierra Nevada mountains, and embraces within its territory all the diversity of valley foothill, and high mountainous lands.

Climate.—The climate of the populous portions of the county is as genial and healthful as can be found anywhere in California. As climate is one of the most valuable assets of this favored state in attracting population, Amador stands second to no county in this regard. It should, and no doubt will in time, when its climatic advantages are more thoroughly understood and appreciated, become a health resort not only for those in less favored states, but for the residents of other parts of California. The temperature alone the central portion rarely falls below 30 degrees above zero in winter, and as rarely rises to 100 degrees in the summer. Snow seldom falls in the settled districts, and never remains on the ground for more than a few hours. Of course, in the high mountain regions of eastern Amador the snowfall is very heavy—which is characteristic of the entire Sierra Nevada range. The summer season is always accompanied with cool nights; permitting of sound, refreshing slumber. Fogs are rare, cyclones are unknown, thunderstorms are infrequent.

Gold Mining.—The county, although rich in other sources of wealth, comparatively untouched, is noted principally for her quartz mines. The deepest gold mines in America are located here. The Kennedy mine is now taking gold in liberal quantities from quartz extracted from a depth of over 3000 feet below the surface, with every indication that the pay-ore extends to a much greater depth. Since the discovery of gold, the county has contributed fully \$100,000,000 to the world's supply of the precious metal. The mines are still yielding at the rate of about two million dollars annually. Nearly all of this wealth is produced by eight or ten mines operating on what is called the "mother lode," stretching clear across the county in a north-easterly direction a distance of twenty miles. The mines aggregate between 400 and 500 stamps, and furnish employment for over 1000 miners. This industry is still in its infancy. The unexplored territory, even along the main gold belt, is far in excess of the ground that has actually been worked or prospected. The county offers to-day one of the most inviting fields to be found anywhere in the world for the investment of capital in the fascinating business of gold mining, not alone along the mother lode, but also in the almost untouched mineralized country of the east belt, some ten or twelve miles from the main lode.

Besides gold, we have copper, deposits of pottery, coal, marble, slate, limestone, granite, and soapstone or talc—all undeveloped.

Agricultural Capabilities.—The agricultural possibilities equal, if not excel, the mineral riches. The valley lands will produce anything that can be grown in the most favored sections. In the foothill lands all kinds of deciduous fruits thrive; also all kinds of vegetable are raised where irrigation is practicable along the numerous water courses. Further up in the mountains, at an altitude of 2000 to 2500 feet, the soil is admirably adapted for apples and potatoes. A ready market for many times the quantity now raised of these commodities can be found in the various mining towns.

Grape culture and winemaking are becoming important industries, both the grapes and wine commanding a better price than the product of the lowland.

Land is cheap compared with other California lands. Improved farms may be secured for one-fourth the price current in some places. Unimproved lands can be had from \$5 to \$10 per acre. It does not require a fortune to buy a small ranch. There is room for a large addition to our agricultural population. Vast tracts now devoted to cattle ranges might be made the homes of hundreds of prosperous farmers.

Amador has a population of less than 12000. Three fourths of this is concentrated in a strip of three miles above and below the mineral belt.

Jackson, the county seat, has about 2500 inhabitants, and is an incorporated city of the sixth class. Other towns are Sutter Creek, Amador City, Drytown, Plymouth, Volcano, Pine Grove and Oleta. Ione City is the metropolis of the valley section, a thriving town of 1000 inhabitants.

The community is law abiding. Educational facilities are excellent. A schoolhouse is within easy reach of nearly every family. There is one high school, located at Ione.

The assessment roll for 1907 is \$5,800,793, and the tax rate for both state and county purposes \$2 on the \$100.

The Southern Pacific has a branch railroad running to Ione. From this point the Ione and Eastern railroad extends 14 miles further to the mining section.

The various religious denominations and fraternal organizations are well represented.

The power plant of the Standard Electric Co.—one of the largest in the world—is located four miles from Jackson.

Young Folks

A BALANCING TRICK.

Seemingly Impossible Feat May Be Easily Performed.

Can you balance a plate on the point of a needle? Very likely you will think not, but you will be able to perform this trick—after you've learned the right way. There may be a number of wrong ways, but usually there's only one right way. So it is in this case.

Stick a needle through a stout cork lengthwise, allowing the point to protrude a little above the top of the cork. That part of the needle which protrudes at the base of the cork cut off with a pair of sharp pinchers on a level with the cork. Insert the cork firmly in the neck of a good sized bottle.

Split two other corks in half along their length. Run a needle through each half cork, having it enter on the



ADJUSTMENT OF APPARATUS.

long, freshly made surface and almost at right angles to it. By this arrangement you can fasten the four half corks to the rim of a plate, making sure there is an equal distance of rim between each. Insert the prongs of a table fork in the bottom of each half cork.

You will now be able to balance your plate on the point of the needle, as a trial will prove to your satisfaction.—Philadelphia North American.

FACTS ABOUT THE FROG.

How the Reptile Aids Thirsty Travelers in Australia.

Travelers in Australia have a queer way sometimes of getting water to quench their thirst, says the Chicago News. Under a certain kind of bush they dig down a foot or two and bring up a hard clay ball. When the ball is broken, out jumps a frog, and the traveler then proceeds to drink the pure, cool water that the creature had provided in its clay retreat as its beverage during a drought. Another method of storing water is one that nature has given to most members of the frog family. It consists of an interior sack in which water is kept for the emergencies of thirst, just like the arrangement of the camel for a similar purpose. The water so preserved is as pure and tasteless as that from a spring.

This suggests a peculiarity about the frog's skin that is interesting. The cold and clammy condition of the skin is due to its constant absorption of water. A frog has been known to soak up one-half its own weight of water in a short time. A singular result of this skin moisture is the ability of the frog to stand a sudden application of dry heat. If, for example, a red-hot rod be held quite close to a frog's body, the frog will not at once feel the heat, because the skin moisture forms a sort of vapor film, through which it takes a little time for the heat to go.

One of the Three.

A boy of eight said to his mother: "Well, there were only three boys in school today who could answer one question that the teacher asked us." "And I hope my boy was one of the three," said the proud mother. "You bet I was," answered young hopeful, "and Sam Harris and Harry Stone were the other two."

"I am very glad you proved yourself so good a scholar, my son. It makes your mother proud of you. What question did the teacher ask, Johnny?"

"Who broke that glass in the back window?"

Conundrums.

What is the difference between a person late for the train and a school-mistress? One misses the train and the other trains the misses.

Which is one of the longest words in the dictionary? Smiles, because there is a mile between the first and last letters.

What character in Shakespeare's works killed the greatest number of chickens? Hamlet's uncle, because he did "murder most foul."

Bigger Than He Looked.

"Dear me, Tom, you eat a good deal for such a little fellow!" remarked Uncle John to his nephew. "I s'pect I aren't so little inside as I look outside," was Tom's ingenious explanation.

NEWSPAPERS FROM DISTANT LANDS

Oddities of the Foreign Press

We extend a cordial invitation to the public to examine a collection of newspapers from the most remote parts of the world now on exhibit at our office. These papers were sent to us by the Chamberlain Medicine Company of Des Moines, Iowa, manufacturers of Chamberlain's cough remedy, and one of the heaviest advertisers not only in this country but in foreign lands. A copy of each issue of every newspaper containing their advertisements is sent to the office of the Chamberlain Medicine Company as a proof of the insertion of the advertisement. The package sent to us is selected from these voucher copies. Some of the papers bear names of places which require us to recall forgotten geography or refer to the atlas to locate. Some of them are particularly curious, as they are published in the vernacular or native languages which might be likened to the carefully written notes of a shorthand writer.

We find the well known Chinese characters arranged in vertical lines reading from top to bottom, the lines arranged from right to left. "Sin Wan Pao," published daily at Shanghai, is printed on a strip of tissue paper fifty inches long and two feet wide. The paper is extremely thin, and is printed on one side only. It is one of the most "readable" papers published, as one can read the entire paper by a sort of unrolling process without having to turn a page or fold and unfold the sheet.

The Burmese language, as printed, is composed principally of a combination of circles. Some one wittily suggested that for this reason circulars would be properly printed in this language.

Cingalese, the language of Ceylon, is also curvilinear. Javanese and Siamese are composed largely of vertical lines connected by loops at either top or bottom but rarely at both.

These languages bear some resemblance to the vertical writing now practiced in our public schools.

The four hundred million people of India have nearly fifty different dialects or vernaculars. The Chamberlain Medicine Company advertises in ten of the principal ones as follows: Bengali, Gujarathi, Hindi, Kararese, Malayalam, Marathi, Sindhi, Tamil, Telugu, and Urdu. The Sindhi and Urdu are written from right to left in the Hebrew fashion. The Urdu is a sort of script, and is so chaotic in shape that it is impossible to reduce it to the moveable type form. Papers printed in the Urdu language are therefore written out by hand and a plate made by the lithographic process. The "Oudh Akbar" a sixteen page daily published at Lucknow in this language, claims a circulation of about 5000. It is said that in order to handle this circulation it requires an office force of about 200. Fortunately for the managers, the wages paid to natives are only a few cents a day. The "Chahya Pulan" is an Arabic paper published weekly at Georgetown on the island of Penang, Straits Settlements. The Arabic is also a "backward" language.

We are informed that the Chamberlain Medicine Company advertises in thirty-two languages. Besides the vernaculars and the well known European languages, French, Spanish, Portuguese, Dutch, German, etc., the list embraces a number of languages which until comparatively recent times possessed no alphabet, but for which the Roman alphabet has been adopted. Among these are the native Hawaiian, Samoan, Tagalog (Philippine Islands), Kafir, Zulu, and Basuto, of South Africa. There is also a modern form of the Malay language using Roman characters, known as Romanized Malay. This is used in Java and the East Indies.

It is difficult to conceive how the readers of some of these papers manage to handle them. Imagine a man on a crowded street car trying to read a paper whose pages are thirty-eight inches long and twenty-nine inches wide. This is the size of the "Hitabadi" a Bengali weekly published in Calcutta, India. The Cape Times, an English daily published at Cape Town, South Africa, is almost as unwieldy, its pages measuring twenty-seven and one half inches in length and twenty-five inches in width.

To an American newspaper man it is interesting to note the manner in which the colonial English newspapers are made up. They still cling to the methods which were practiced in this country fifty years ago, the advertisements being upon the first few pages, followed generally by the heavy editorials, then a few meager cable and telegraphic items, afterwards the local news. The local news consists principally of the proceedings of the legislative bodies, town council, school board, etc. Contributions by the readers are numerous and lengthy.

The editorials are generally of a more dignified and serious nature than American productions. The daily papers devote more space to book reviews

and detailed reports of scientific progress than American newspapers do. Humor is not so noticeable, and cartoons are used more rarely than with us.

Very few if any of the colonial papers issue a "pink sheet," but they supply this omission by devoting a large proportion of every issue to the sporting news. This is especially noticeable in the African papers.

With few exceptions the advertising pages would give our 'ad' writers the nightmare. They seem to have little conception of the value of space or of attractive methods of presenting either the text or the illustrations. A pleasing relief to this monotony is afforded by the 'ads' of American advertisers which are rather numerous on their pages. We see many old friends among these advertisers, and prominent among these is the Chamberlain Medicine Company.

**KILL THE COUGH
AND CURE THE LUNGS
WITH DR. KING'S
NEW DISCOVERY
FOR COUGHS
PRICE 50¢ & \$1.00
TRIAL BOTTLE FREE
AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES
GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY
OR MONEY REFUNDED.**

FOR SALE

75,000

SHINGLES

In first-class condition

Will be sold as a whole, or in lots to suit customers.

Apply to

**Amador Ledger Office
JACKSON.**

L. OTTINGER

S. N. KNIGHT

KNIGHT & CO.

Foundry and Machine Shop

Sutter Creek, Cal.

BUILDERS OF WATER WHEELS OF latest and most approved patterns, and all kinds of sheet iron pipe. Every description of mining and milling machinery made at the shortest notice. We desire to call the attention of blacksmiths and other workers in iron to the fact that we keep constantly on hand a large and complete stock of bar, refined and Norway iron, gas pipe, gas fittings, etc., which we will sell at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

**College of Notre Dame
MARYSVILLE, CALIFORNIA**

Boarding and day school conducted by the Sisters of Notre Dame (Nunary). Founded in 1859.

The curriculum embraces all the branches of a solid English education. Preparatory and advanced courses in art, language, and music. For further information address

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SISTER SUPERIOR

The A. Van der Nailen School
Of Civil, Electrical Mining Engineering, etc.
ESTABLISHED 1864.

Occupying their own large building, workshop and laboratories. Great demand for ex-students in all lines. New students should enroll at once.

TELEGRAPH AND 51st,

OAKLAND, CAL.

Send for Catalogue.

AT HEWITT'S BAZAR

Special SALE now on of Thanksgiving Necessities, Dolls, China-ware, Toys, etc. etc.

We have the largest and most varied line of TOYS in Central California.

Stockton's Greatest Bazar.

DAILY STAGE LINE

BETWEEN

JACKSON and EL DORADO

J. Steiner, Proprietor.

Leaves Jackson every morning at 7:30 a. m.; arrives at Plymouth 10:30 a. m. Leaves Plymouth at 1 p. m.; arrives at El Dorado 5 p. m.

Leaves El Dorado 7:15 a. m.; arrives at Plymouth 11 a. m. Leaves Plymouth at 2 p. m.; arrives in Jackson at 5 p. m.

OFFICES—Jackson, National Hotel; Sutter Creek, American Exchange; Amador City, Amador Hotel; Drytown, Exchange; Plymouth, Forest House.

Prompt delivery of packages.

This line connects with passenger trains to and from Placerville.

THROUGH FARE . . . \$2.50

Fifty pounds of baggage free.

Impossible to be Well

It is impossible to be well, simply impossible, if the bowels are constipated. You must pay attention to the laws of nature, or suffer the consequences. Undigested material, waste products, poisonous substances, must be removed from the body at least once each day, or there will be trouble. A sluggish liver is responsible for an immense amount of suffering and serious disease. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Pills. He knows why they act directly on the liver. Trust him. J.C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

BIBLE STUDY CONTEST.

Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School

Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the
International Newspaper Bible Study Club.

(Copyright, 1909, by Rev. T. S. Linscott, D. D.)

May 2nd, 1909.

Paul's First Missionary Journey, — Cyprus. Acts 13:1-12.

Golden Text.—Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. Mark 16:15.

Verse 1.—Where was Antioch?

What constituted a Christian church, then, and now.

What was the difference between prophets and teachers.

Verse 2.—What is meant by "ministered to the Lord."

What mental, physical or spiritual benefits, were there derived from fasting.

How long should a person abstain from food, in order to constitute a Christian fast.

What right has the present day Protestant church to discontinue the practice of fasting.

When would the ears of a company of godly men, be most sensitive to the voice of God, during a feast, or a fast.

Was there any connection between their ministering and fasting, and the Holy Spirit speaking to them.

Is the Holy Spirit apt to speak to those who are not intensely engaged in the cause of God.

What is necessary in order to cultivate an ear for the voice of God?

Should we all be "called" of God, before undertaking any kind of work.

Verse 3.—Ought the church to-day to send out missionaries to new districts, and to heathen countries.

If it is the duty of the church to send out missionaries, is it, or not, the duty of every person, whether a member of the church or not, to help support them. (This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.)

Why did they fast and pray, before sending Paul and Barnabas on their mission.

Would it be a help to each local church to-day, to fast and pray before each missionary meeting.

Do you think the women took part in this service, and whether or not, what reason is there to debar women from any of the church's work.

Verse 4.—Is it possible or practical, to be guided in every journey we take, and in all else by the Holy Spirit.

Should a pastor ever take charge of a new church, without being directed to do so, by the Holy Spirit.

Please point out on the map, in your Bible, where Seleucia, Salamis and Cyprus are situated.

Were they consciously, or unconsciously, directed by God the Holy Spirit, all along their journey.

Verse 5.—Should men and women, in the ordinary walks of life, be as faithful in preaching the gospel, or testifying for Jesus, wherever they may be, as Paul and Barnabas were.

Verse 6.—How many places mentioned in this lesson, are situated on the island of Cyprus. (See your map.)

What motives had likely induced this man Elymas, to claim to be a prophet.

Verses 7-8.—How do you account for a man being so bad, as to try to prevent another man from serving the true God.

Verses 9-12.—Are good men justified in rebuking bad men with vehemence, when they would stop a work of love and mercy.

Is it possible for a bad man to escape the just penalty of his sins.

Lesson for Sunday, May 9th, 1909, Paul's First Missionary Journey, — Antioch in Pisidia. Acts xiii:13-52.

Chinn-Beretta's Optician Here

Monday, May 24.

Because we have more stores, more factories, more opticians, more mechanics and more help than any three or four optical houses in this State put together, our glasses are excellent and our prices right

Our representative may be consulted at
F. W. Ruhser's Pharmacy

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BERETTA**

**OPTICAL
COMPANY**

526 K St. Sacramento

And at San Francisco, Oakland, Sacramento, Stockton, Fresno, Vallejo

Words to Freeze the Soul.

"Your son has consumption. His case is hopeless." These appalling words were spoken to Geo. E. Blevens, a leading merchant of Springfield, N. C. by two expert doctors—one a lung specialist. Then was shown the wonderful power of Dr. King's New Discovery. "After three weeks use," writes Mr. Blevens "he was as well as ever. I would not take all the money in the world for what it did for my boy." Infalible for coughs and colds, its the safest, surest cure of desperate lung diseases on earth. 50c and \$1.00. Guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free. Spagnoli's Drug Store.

Phears' Express.

Ring up Sam Phear for prompt delivery of trunks, baggage and express packages. Rates reasonable. Leave orders with P. L. Cassinelli, phone Main 35; and Express office, Main 34; residence Black 374.

Many ills come from impure blood. Can't have pure blood with faulty digestion, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens stomach, bowels and liver, and purifies the blood.

MARIELL.
R. Fancher has removed his family from Kennedy flat to Sutter Creek. Mr Fancher is working in Amador City at present.
Jack Martell is working in the blacksmith shop of W. Lessley in Sutter Creek.
Mrs C. E. Froelich spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week visiting relatives near Oleta.
Ray Fullen and wife came over from Angels last week Mrs Fullen was suffering from appendicitis, and is now being treated at Dr. Goodman's sanitarium.
Mr and Mrs Tom Ryan and Mr and Mrs Frank Joy made a flying trip up into the vicinity of Volcano Wednesday. Mr Joy has taken up a mining there, so I hear.
Chas. Bloom, the best looking young man in Oleta, passed through our bury Friday.
Mrs A. Kevern is visiting with Mrs Chas. Smith of Sutter Creek.
Mrs C. Froelich and Mrs J. Krennmet spent Easter Sunday with Mr and Mrs J. Amick of Lone.
James Carrara has resigned his position as teamster for Dufrene, and has accepted the position as foreman in the blacksmith shop of the same firm. Sam Cole handles the ribbons in Jim's place.
Little Alta Dufrene reached her third birthday Sunday.
Mrs Bert Dufrene and children of Sacramento visited relatives here last week.

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney honorable in all business transactions financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.
Walding, Kinnin & Marvin, Wholesale druggists, Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood, and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

PLYMOUTH.
April 28.—Mrs Geo. Penter and children are visitors at her mother, Mrs Dugan, of this town.
Dr. Norman has recently purchased an auto. All the girls will be smiling at Willie now.
J. E. Walton, who made a trip to Stockton on business, has returned to his home.
Miss Mae Cummings was a visitor at the Brunfield home last week.
Miss Bessie Brunfield is visiting her sister, Mrs Oia Walton, of Plymouth.
Miss Margaret Allison and Miss Mae Cummings made a flying trip to Plymouth yesterday.
Slate Creek and Oleta are both planning for a picnic next week.
Will Butler, who has been ill for the past two weeks, has started driving the Sacramento stage again.
Wild Roses.

SUTTER CREEK.
April 29.—Last Sunday morning confirmation services were conducted in the Catholic church here, by the Rev. Thomas Grace, D. D., Bishop of the Catholic diocese of Sacramento, assisted by Father Azevedo. A large class of girls and boys were confirmed. The church was fragrant with beautiful flowers and the ceremony of confirmation was impressive and beautiful, and the music rendered by the choir added to the impressiveness of the occasion.
Louis Galiardi, left Wednesday morning, enroute to Arizona.
Mrs Roach of Tulare, is visiting her mother, Mrs H. Lehmann, of this place.
Farley Phipps and wife have moved into Geo. Moore's house.
Mr and Mrs Ed. Shearor left Saturday morning, enroute to Marysville, where Mr Shearor will be in attendance at the grand parlor N. S. G. W.
D. V. Ramozzotti and wife left Sunday morning. Mr Ramozzotti goes to Marysville as a delegate to the grand parlor N. S. G. W. Mrs Ramozzotti will visit friends in Grass Valley.
Mrs Alfred Pendry, who was called here by the illness of her mother, Mrs J. Richards, returned to her home in San Francisco Tuesday. Mrs Richards is convalescence.
Miss Amy Pharis, departed Tuesday morning for Sacramento, to visit her sister, Mrs Nell Pratt.
Fred Metzger Jr., of Lodi, pianist of the Tokay Lodi Orchestra, returned to his home Tuesday morning, after a pleasant visit with his sister, Mrs Shearor, and his many friends here and in Amador City, his old home.
Mrs Sophia Johnson came up from Sacramento Friday, to visit her son, Frank Johnson, and family.
The dance and supper given by Excelsior Rebekah lodge Friday

night, was a perfect success. The hall was beautifully decorated, and the music furnished by the Tokay Orchestra of Lodi was all that could be desired. Visitors from Amador City, Jackson and Volcano were in attendance. The supper was satisfactory in every instance, and all who attended enjoyed a good time.
Mrs Charles Rice of Los Angeles, who has been the guest of Mrs Andrew Riley for a few weeks, departed for her home Wednesday morning.
Will Parrow, Nick Ardito and J. Canepa, who left here for San Francisco about two weeks ago, sailed on steamer for Panama Saturday afternoon the 24th instant. The boys expect to remain there for two years or more. They were accompanied to the dock by their friends, Bob Payne, Dan Tarr, F. W. Morrish and Peter Dabovich to see them sail.
Mrs Dr. A. J. Lewis of Reno, and Mrs Jas. Crilly of San Francisco, arrived here Wednesday evening, to visit her mother, Mrs Mary Payne, and brother, F. Payne.
Mrs Lillie Anderson of Forest Home, is the guest of Mr and Mrs J. Higgins, Jr.
Mrs Smith of Berkeley, is visiting her mother, Mrs Toman and family. Sutterite.

A Knocker
is a man who can't see good in any person or thing. It's a habit caused by a disordered liver. If you find that you are beginning to see things through blue spectacles, treat your liver to a good cleaning out process with Ballard's Herbine. A sure cure for constipation, dyspepsia, indigestion, sick headache, biliousness, all liver, stomach and bowel troubles. Sold by Rubner's City Pharmacy.

State and County Taxes
The second instalment of state and county taxes became delinquent Monday evening. The total amount paid in by the tax collector on the second instalment is \$23,165. On the first instalment there has been collected \$66,561.59; making a total collection for the current year of \$89,726.59. The total amount charged the tax collector is over \$100,000, several thousand of which will undoubtedly be paid before the time for publishing the delinquent notice. The tax payments this year are fully up to the verge, and the delinquent list is not expected to be out of the ordinary run.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of
The Italian Picnic.
Arrangements are progressing favorably for the forthcoming Italian picnic on the first Sunday in June. An effort will be made to have the railroads run an excursion train on that day at one fare rate for the round trip. This would lead to a largely increased attendance from outside points. The managers are sanguine that this arrangement can be made, both with the Southern Pacific and the Amador Central roads. The concessions have not been let as yet. A show company of Plute Indians from Nevada is among the probable attractions. Correspondence is in progress to arrange for this novelty.
"One Touch of Nature Makes the Whole World Kin."
When a rooster buds a big fat worm he calls all the hens in the farm yard to come and share it. A similar trait of human nature is to be observed when a man discovers something exceptionally good—he wants all his friends and neighbors to share the benefits of his discovery. This is the touch of nature that makes the whole world kin. This explains why people who have been cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy write letters to the manufacturers for publication, that others similarly ailing may also use it and obtain relief. Behind every one of these letters is a warm hearted wish of the writer to be of use to someone else. This remedy is for sale by Jackson Drug Store, Spagnoli, Prop.

GRAND
Picnic and Ball
IN IONE
Given by Ione Parlor No 33, N.S.G.W
Saturday, May 1st
Committee of Arrangements—D. W. Stewart, A. L. Prouty and A. C. Miner.
Marshal - - - C. P. Vieini.
President - - - Lawrence Burke.
Orator - - - Hon. F. V. Wood.
Vocal music by Gebhart and Evans.
Music by Tokay Band of Lodi.
AMUSEMENTS.
Girls' Basket Ball—Lodi and Ione High Schools.
Baseball—Jackson vs. Wallace.
Horse races, Bicycle races, Broncho races, etc.
Grand Ball at Pavilion in Evenin'. Tickets \$1.50. Spectators 25c.

Church Notes.
Order of services at the Methodist Episcopal church as follows: Sunday school at 2 p. m., preaching services every Sunday to commence at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.
EPISCOPAL.
Regular services will be held in St. Augustine's Episcopal church as follows:
11 a. m.—First and third Sunday in each month.
7:30 p. m.—Second and fourth Sunday in each month.
CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of
BORN.
DORNAN.—In Jackson, April 23, 1909, to the wife of Dave Dornan, a son.
PURCELL.—In Jackson, April 25, 1909, to the wife of Ed. Purcell, a daughter.
MARRIED.
GLICKFELD-JOONDEPH.—In Sacramento, April 12, 1909, by Rabbi Michael Fried, Louis Glickfeld of Jackson, to Miss Helen Joondeph, of New York.
BULL-PEARCE.—In Sacramento, April 18, 1909, by Rev. Richard Rodda, James M. Bull of Lodi and Miss Myrtle Pearce of Amador City.
DIED
DUTINA.—In Sutter Creek, April 25, 1909, Guro Dutina, a native of Serbia, aged 22 years.
STOJANOVICH.—In Sutter Creek, April 26, 1909, Marco Stojanovich, a native of Serbia, aged 75 years.
JENKINS.—In the county hospital, April 24, 1909, John Jenkins, a native of England, aged 65 years.

Notice to Creditors.
Estate of Elizabeth Bell Upton, deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Bell Upton, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at the law office of Wm. J. McGee, Court street, Jackson, Amador county, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said Amador county.
Dated, April 22, 1909.
W. F. DETERT,
Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Bell Upton, deceased. 5t

Notice to Creditors.
Estate of Agostino Biasotti, deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Agostino Biasotti, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at the law office of Wm. G. Snyder, at Jackson, Amador county, Calif, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said Amador county.
Dated, April 13, 1909.
H. E. POTTER,
Administrator of the estate of said deceased.
Wm. G. Snyder, attorney for administrator.

Better Not Get
Dyspepsia
If you can help it. Kodol prevents Dyspepsia, by effectually helping Nature to Relieve Indigestion. But don't trifle with Indigestion.
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Special Rates and Excursions from all Points.

PROGRAM.
9.30 a. m.—Junior Athletic Tournament of the County Grammar Grade Schools.
10.00 a. m.—Grand Band Concert, Amador, Calaveras and San Joaquin county Brass Bands.
12.00 m.—Big Barbecue and Lunch, served by the matrons and ladies of Clements.
1.00 p. m.—Baseball Games, Dancing at the Pavilion.
1.30 p. m.—Five Mile Marathon Race, One Mile Race, 220 yard Race, 100 yard Dash, High Jump, Broad Jump, Hammer Throw and Shot Put.
2.0 p. m.—Rock Drilling Contest for State Championship. Entries received from all over the State.
2.30 p. m.—Champion Wrestling of the Pacific Coast; Professor A McIntyre of the Stockton Athletic Club and Amiel Tanner of the Reliance Club of Oakland, for a side bet of \$500.
Amateur Wrestling Contest, champion class, 125 pounds, 135 pounds, 145 pounds, 165 pounds, and Heavy Weights.
4.00 p. m.—Fat Man's Race, Egg Race, Wheelbarrow Race, Conclusion of the day's program, Grand Band Concert.
8.00 p. m.—Dancing in the Clements Hall. Midnight Supper served.

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L. F. Stinson has resigned his position as clerk of the Folsom state prison and will hereafter devote his entire attention to the Amador Record of Sutter Creek, of which he is the proprietor.

Willie Moon has been very sick at his home two miles north of Jackson for a long time, and is confined to his bed. Mrs Josephine Harvey, a relative, has gone there to assist in making care of him.

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The grand parlor of N. S. G. W. convened in Marysville on the 26th instant. All the delegates from Jackson parlor are in attendance, namely: Judge John F. Davis, A. Caminetti and J. R. Huberty. Tom Joy and W. Going also left early in the week for Sacramento, and are doubtless in attendance at the grand assembly. The main flight of the convention seems to gather over the election of grand secretary, C. H. Turner, who formerly resided in Amador county, and who has held the lucrative position for several years, is out for another term. He is meeting with strong opposition, led by the grand president, C. M. Helsbaw, who severely criticizes his official conduct.

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From Our Exchanges.

W. I. McKee of the McKee Lumber Company of Quincy, Ill., has been at Camino for several days past for the purpose of securing a quantity of El Dorado county's matchless sugar pine for shipment to the East, where it is much prized for interior finish and cabinet work. He went out to the valley this morning and will spend some weeks on the coast before going home.—Nugget.

"They say" electric lights are a sure thing for lone this time. Mr. Downs has bought the line and has had a force of men at work for some time setting new poles and stringing new wires. This work is nearly completed between here and Jackson, and if "they say" is not mistaken we will be able to snap on the lights ere many days. It will be a great convenience when we get it.—Echo.

There is quite a tendency among many of our citizens to cut out some bad habit and the good spirit seems to be working overtime. Moyer Burden and E. L. Rehm got together and solemnly agreed to quit smoking! And as a penalty for violating the compact the guilty one is to forfeit a twenty dollar gold piece, which goes to the informer. Watch the Mayor and the dry goods merchant and earn a piece of easy money.—Sonora Democrat.

Considerable prospecting and some placer mining is now being done around Indian Diggings. J. J. Crawford and brother of Oakland are arranging to work a claim belonging to a John Calick, which has been prospected with most encouraging results. There is much good gravel ground in that vicinity, and also some promising quartz leads. The present summer promises to witness a great revival of mining around Indian Diggings, Grizzly Flat and Fairplay.—Nugget.

An old man about 70 years of age arrived in Placerville yesterday on foot and carrying a small roll of blankets, an old-fashioned army carbine weighing about 20 pounds, a lantern and a miscellaneous lot of camp junk very much the worse for wear. He gave every evidence of being demented and was charitably taken into custody. The old man gave his name as Bramsky, and stated that he was on his way to Illinois in search of two sisters whom he had not seen in half a century. As it would be impossible for him to get over the mountains now, he will be detained at the county jail or hospital for a time in hopes that proper food and rest will restore his mental condition to normal.—Nugget.

Mention was made last week that a Chapter of the Eastern Star would soon be instituted in Lone, and last evening was the important occasion. Miss Emma Boardman of Jackson, district deputy, was here and performed the official ceremonies. Following are the officers elected for the first term: Worthy matron, Mrs. D. B. Pardoe; associate matron, Miss Elizabeth Jones; worthy patron, G. J. Yager; secretary, Mrs. Emma Jones; treasurer, Mich. Hammer; conductor, Veda Woods; associate conductor, Ida Williams; warder, Mrs. Fayette Mace; sentinel, E. F. Greenough. After the institution ceremonies a bountiful collation was spread in the banquet room and a season of feasting and genial intercourse enjoyed by all. The chapter starts out with a good charter membership and they feel that it will be an instrument for good to them all.—Echo.

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NEW COURT

ESTABLISHED.

Terms Determined and Officers Elected—Explanation of Juvenile Court.

The ladies and gentlemen appointed as members of the probation committee for Tuolumne county under the law providing for a juvenile court met in the chambers of Superior Judge G. W. Nicol last Saturday, and organized. By lot it was decided that the term of service of each member would be as follows: Chas. H. Segerstrom, one year; Mrs. E. L. Rehm, George Mundorf, two years; Mrs. D. H. Steinmetz, J. P. Hardin, three years; Miss M. A. Fahey, Geo. W. Johnson, four years. Subsequent appointments will be for four years. Mr. Segerstrom was selected as the presiding officer and Mr. Mundorf as secretary.

In this connection we present to our readers a full explanation of the new law with observations thereon by J. W. Hughes, judge of the Sacramento juvenile court, who has devoted much study to the problems presented in the care of dependent and delinquent children. Judge Hughes' article is as follows:

Any person may apply to the juvenile court for the protection and care of a dependent or delinquent child. A dependent child, under the law, is any child who may be found begging on the streets; or who is a vagrant; or who is found wandering and having no home; or who has no parent or guardian who cares for him; or who is destitute, or whose home, by reason of neglect, cruelty, or depravity of his parents, is an unfit place for such child; or who frequents the company of criminals; or who habitually visits any pool-room, saloon, or place where spirituous liquors are sold; or who persistently refuses to obey the reasonable directions of his parents; or who is incorrigible and beyond the control of his parents; or whose father is dead, or has abandoned his family, or is an habitual drunkard; or who is in danger of being brought up to lead an improper or immoral life; or who is an habitual truant from school; or who habitually uses liquor, cigarettes, opium, etc. A delinquent child is any child that violates any ordinance of the city or county or any law of the state. In other words, whenever a child is being neglected, or maltreated, or is itself doing anything contrary to the law, the child or the parent may be brought before the juvenile court for the purpose of correcting the evil.

The new law means that no child under the age of eighteen years can be tried for crime until he and his case are fully examined by the juvenile court and it has been determined by that court that the child is so bad that he may not be reformed under the juvenile court law.

The new law means that whenever any child is brought to trial in the justice's or police court, it is the duty of the judge in each of these courts to inquire into the age of the child and, if he is under eighteen, to certify that fact, and the charge to the juvenile court, and he is there tried.

The new law also provides that in certain cases children under nineteen years of age who are delinquent may be sent to a reform school, or may be placed on probation and otherwise cared for. It also provides that when in the superior court a child under twenty and over eighteen years of age stands charged with a felony, the court may in certain instances, apply the juvenile court law to such child and place him on probation or in the reform school. In each of the last named cases, if the child proves to be beyond reformation under the juvenile court law, he then may be tried under the general criminal laws of the state, like any other person, and punished accordingly.

Under the old law a child over seven years of age might, upon clear proof that he understood the wrongfulness of his act, be sentenced to the penitentiary while under the new law no child under fourteen years of age may be sentenced to the penitentiary, and he cannot even be tried for crime until the juvenile court has determined that he may be tried.

Under the new law it is the duty of the superior court to enforce the same in every county of the state, and it provides for a probation officer and in the larger counties, for one or more assistants, to aid in the execution of the law. It makes it the plain duty of the probation officers to investigate and inquire into every case of dependency and delinquency and in writing report thereon to the court. The law also provides for a probation committee composed of seven good men and women in each county, whose duty, under the law, is to supervise the management of the detention home, investigate all institutions receiving and caring for children, and aid by their advice and counsel the probation officer and the juvenile court in the discharge of their duties. No child under the age

of sixteen years may be placed in jail until after trial, and then not with adult prisoners. The law authorizes and directs the board of supervisors of each county to provide a detention home wherein juvenile offenders may be kept both before and after the trial of their cases, and directs that such home be not kept as a jail, but that it shall be managed as nearly like a private home as possible.

Under the new law a girl as well as a boy may be committed until she attains the age of twenty-one years, and she is not permitted to marry, if under commitment to the juvenile court, without the consent of that court. It is made the duty of the judge of the juvenile court to compel parents to properly support and care for their children, and where there is no parent, or where, by reason of sickness the parent is absolutely unable to support the children, it is made the duty of the court to support the children at the county's expense, not to exceed eleven dollars a month each.

One of the most important provisions of the law makes every father or mother, or other person, who contributes to, encourages or causes either the delinquency or dependency of a child, guilty of a misdemeanor, triable in the juvenile court with a punishment of not more than one year in the county jail, or by not more than one thousand dollars fine, or by both such imprisonment and fine.

If the people would stop and count the costs of raising children in waywardness and delinquency every taxpayer would be an earnest advocate of the strict enforcement of the juvenile court law. Last year the insane asylums cost the state \$1,992,910; the penitentiaries \$760,000, not to mention the cost of courts, of the police, and of the constabulary. If the banker would stop and figure that the assets of a bank amounting to twelve hundred thousand dollars contribute in taxes more than \$500 monthly for the maintenance of prisons and asylums, I am sure he would readily consent to the expenditure of a few dollars in an effort to cure the evil which makes it necessary to maintain prisons and asylums. The legislation in the past has all been palliative in its nature, while the juvenile court seeks to cure the evil and eradicate the cause.

The great aim sought to be attained by the law is to make the home of every child what it should be and, when that cannot be done, to find a new home for the child; and if a new private home cannot be found then, as a last resort, the child is sent to some institution for the care of dependent or delinquent children.

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THE IDEAL NURSERY.

What Decorations Should Be Used. Necessary Sanitary Precautions.

In arranging the nursery it should be borne in mind that this room of all others should have an eastern or a southern exposure, where the little newcomer, who is always an early riser, up and dressed long before other members of the family, can be a privileged character and enjoy the morning sunshine, both of which make for health and happiness. The furnishing may be artistic and yet suggest simplicity. White woodwork throughout with an enamel finish which wears well, though the dull is more pleasing to the eye, is the best to choose. With this finish use a "sketch scenery" nursery paper in delft blue and white. The furniture should be painted white to match the trim, and the small bureau, the chest of drawers having glass knobs, as well as the chairs, tables, basinet and baby basket of wicker should be in pure clean white.

A bathroom connecting with the nursery is a luxury, but not a necessity where expense is considered. The enameled nursery toilet sets can be bought for a small sum and are very convenient. Some of the sets decorated with flowers are charming.

In these days the sanitary conditions are of such important consideration it is well to instill in the mind of the nursemaid the old saying "Cleanliness is next to godliness" and to have this room furnished and arranged so that it can be easily kept clean. Have a hardwood stained floor, with one large rug of blue and white coloring, allowing an eighteen inch border. Bookshelves built in the corner spaces of rather simple design will be found both useful and ornamental for the nursery books and toys, which collect so fast that one is glad to have a place for them. The nursery thermometer should always hang in a most conspicuous place. This is important, as the temperature should never be over 68 or 70 degrees. Mothers must not make "hothouse plants" of their children, but instead give them plenty of fresh air and exercise.

The window hangings should be of simple design. Little plain white Swiss Dutch sash curtains, made with a two inch ruffle down the front and lower edge and run on a rod, with an inch and a half heading above the rod, are pretty for the top and middle sash. Altogether this makes four little curtains at each window. If liked the middle curtains can be of chintz in blue and white to match the paper and hung just to the sill at either side, with a valance across the top.

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Intimate members of the family write each other at more or less frequent intervals to exchange family news or ask and answer questions.

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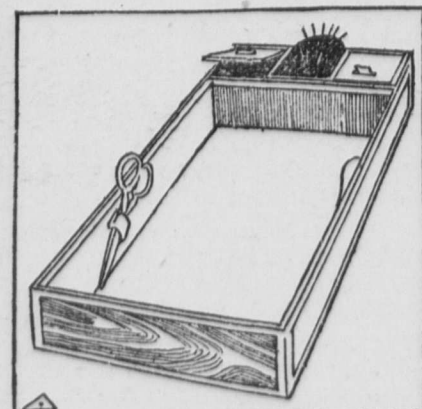
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Third district...Richard E. Collins
Fourth district...Jeff D. McElvaine

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Second district...Andrew M. Wilson
Third district...Theodore Summerland

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Assemblyman, 11th dist..G. F. Snyder

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Receiver.....Will A. Newcum

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Sheriff & Tax Collector...U S Gregory
Deputy.....W. T. Connors
District Attorney.....C. P. Vicini
Clerk and Auditor....J. R. Huberty
Deputy.....L. Newman
Recorder.....D. A. Patterson
Deputy.....L. G. Meehan
Treasurer.....George A. Gritton
Assessor.....C. E. Jarvis
Deputy.....George A. Gordon
Survivor.....Wm. Brown
Supt. of Schols....W. H. Greenhalgh
Supt. Hospital.....F. B. LeMoin
Physician.....E. E. Endicott, M. D.
Coroner & Public Admr...H. E. Potter
Court Commissioner...Geo A Gordon

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Township 1....John Stromm, Jackson
Township 2.....B. H. Bagley, Ione
Township 3.....A. Grillo, Volcano
Township 4D. A. Fraser Sutter Creek
Township 5.....L. Burke, Plymouth
[Chairman]

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Township No. 1.....A. Goldner
Township No. 2.....T. H. Gartlin
Township No. 3.....A. W. Robinson
Township No. 4.....W. L. Rose
Township No. 5.....John Blower

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Township No. 1.....A. Laverone
Township No. 2.....J. E. Kelley
Township No. 3.....T. C. McKenzie
Township No. 4.....T. S. Tuttle
Township No. 5.....N. E. Wheeler

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY

Reported weekly for the Ledger.

The World to Insect Senses.—Non-Ductile Metal Drawn Into Wire.—Progress in Mapping Alaska—Quick Drying of Plastering.—Pigeons in Regular Mail Service—Life's Potentiality—Ferro-Titanium Rails Without Titanium.—Comets in Moving Pictures.

The mental processes of the horse and the dog are those of man in much lower degrees, in the view of Prof. N. A. Harvey of Michigan, but the intelligence of insects must be of very different kind. The double nerve cord and ganglia differ both in structure and position from the brain and spinal cord of man. Insect eyes are immovable and compound, and perceive motion and color, but not form. Ants, bees, wasps and other insects have no hearing. Taste and smell cannot be identical with those senses in man, and feeling is a preception through touch-hairs instead of the skin. But insects have very acute senses that we do not possess. A cecropia moth can perceive a female a mile or more away, although a man could not detect it under the same conditions at a distance of more than six inches, and ants, bees and wasps seem to have other senses located, like this, in the antennae. Differing from man in general structure, with shorter lives and different living, the insects have intelligence that, though of a high order, is not easy for us to understand.

A difficulty in making filaments of non-ductile metals, like tungsten, has been ingeniously overcome in a new patented process of the Siemens-Halske firm of Germany. The tungsten or other filament metal is enclosed in a thin coating of ductile metal, and the whole is drawn through a die plate until the required fineness is reached. The coated filament, attached to a conducting support, is then mounted in the lamp bulb. The air is exhausted from the bulb, and an electric current is turned on, when the heat quickly drives off the ductile metal, leaving the refractory filament.

Since 1898 the U. S. Geological Survey has made topographic maps in Alaska of 121,252 square miles on a scale of four miles to an inch and 2,732 square miles on a scale of one mile to an inch; and has made geologic reconnaissance maps of 99,350 square miles, with detailed geologic maps of 2,304. Total area, 586,400 square miles.

The plastering in new houses is being dried by a new apparatus so effectively in three days that exception in favor of the method is being made by the authorities in places having in force the German law forbidding the use for residence of any house until it has been built six months. The apparatus employed is a coke stove, with a number of small tubes surrounding the fire-box, and with supply pipes leading dry air from outside to these tubes. As the fresh air rapidly passing through the tubes, becomes heated, it rises and passes along the ceiling and walls. It absorbs and becomes saturated with moisture from the plastering, then sinks, enters the fire-box of the stove, and escapes with the coke gases into the chimney. The current of heated day air not only carries off the dampness very rapidly, but furnishes an abundance of carbonic acid to harden the mortar. The effect is exactly the same as that of slow natural drying, and the rooms are made speedily habitable instead of being unsate to live in for many weeks.

The pigeon-post is proving a valuable adjunct of civilization, even in these days of fast trains and steamships and wireless telegraphy. The isolated lighthouse of Maatsuyker Island is 75 miles southwest from Hobart, Tasmania, in a direct line and 90 miles by steamer, and since Jan. 21, 1908, twelve homing pigeons have kept up communication with the mainland, three being regularly liberated every three weeks. The first message left the lighthouse at 10 a. m., reaching Hobart at 1.30 p. m. The service has been generally satisfactory, though not all messages have reached their destination; and it probably saved the life of an assistant at the lighthouse, as an urgent message brought much needed medical relief from Hobart in twelve hours.

The remarkable power of increase of plants and animals, insuring their continuance through long ages with the production of new forms by adaptation, was noted by Dr. A. R. Wallace in his late Royal Institution address on Darwin's work. A single common weed, the Sisymbrium Sophia, yields three-fourths of a million seeds, and if all grew and multiplied, the land of the globe would be covered in three years. One pair of elephants, the slowest

breeding of animals, would produce 19,000,000 individuals in 750 years. The prolific rabbits, the national pest of Australia, would have a progeny of 1,000,000 from a single pair in four or five years.

A curious peculiarity of the new ferro-titanium rails, which have been made experimentally, in the United States for a little more than a year, is that they may be entirely free from titanium, and at most they contain but little. In this respect the "alloy" differs from all others. The properties of nickel-steel, for instance, depends upon the presence of a material percentage of nickel, and manganese-steel must have a carefully adjusted proportion of manganese. For the new metal, the steel is made in a converter and blown in the usual way, when it receives a charge of titanium alloy. This is a product of the electric furnace, and is a mixture containing 10 to 15 per cent of titanium and 5 to 7, per cent of carbon, the remaining portion being iron. Each ton of steel receives a charge of about 8 pounds of 10 per cent alloy, the effect being to increase the slag, removed from the metal in the ladle, while the ingots are free from blow-holes. The titanium, unless in excess of what is necessary to remove the impurities, all passes off in the slag. The treatment gives special durability to rails for curves, and at the Grand Central Station in New York an ordinary rail lost 3.03 pounds per yard in 4 months, while a titanium alloy rail of the same composition was worn away only 1.01 pounds per yard in 5 months. The few dollars' increase per ton of Bessemer rails is expected to be much more than offset by added durability.

The changes in progress in a comet are now shown on a screen in moving pictures. Morehouse's comet was favorably situated for observation in England during last autumn, and as this body gave an unusual opportunity for studying changes, the Astronomer Royal had photographs made at frequent intervals so as to obtain a cinematograph record. One series shows the alternations that took place in a period of about 9 hours.

For sterilizing a city's water supply, the novel plan is proposed of using powerful mercury-vapor lamps with quartz tubes, which should be so placed that every particle of water should remain two minutes within a few inches of a lamp. The large proportion of ultra-violet rays was shown in 1906 to have great germ destroying properties. Recently Courmont and Nogier have proven that most disease bacteria in water within 12 inches of a lamp are destroyed in one minute, and that much-contaminated water is completely sterilized in two minutes.

Object to Strong Medicines

Many people object to taking the strong medicines usually prescribed by physicians for rheumatism. There is no need of internal treatment in any case of muscular or chronic rheumatism, and more than nine out of every ten cases of the disease are of one or the other of these varieties. When there is no fever and little (if any) swelling, you may know that it is only necessary to apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely to get quick relief. Try it. For sale by Jackson Drug Store, Spagnoli, Prop.

Special Small Ads.

Advertisements under this head, not exceeding 5 lines, will be inserted at 50c per month, or 5 cents per line for less than one month.

ALL kinds of Blanks for U. S. Land Filings—Homestead, Timber and Mineral blanks—may be had at the Ledger office; also deeds, mortgages, mining locations, proof of labor and other legal blanks kept for sale.

Mining Signals on cloth, required to be posted in all mines, for sale at the Ledger office.

Receipt books, location blanks, deeds, mortgages, promissory notes, etc. for sale; also mining signals on cloth, graduation diplomas, at the Ledger office

White Leghorn Roosters for Breeding \$1 to \$1.50 each. Jasper Johnson, Ione.

Acknowledgment blanks for notaries, specially printed for Amador county, may be had at the Ledger office. Price 50c per packet of 50.

Furnished Rooms to let: inquire at Ledger office.

Copies of the license ordinance of the City of Jackson in pamphlet form may be had at the Ledger office; price 15c. each.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping on the Mason tract. Apply at this office.

For Sale—Lot of benches, formerly used in Webb hall; 6 and 8 feet long; suitable for show place, churches, etc. Will be sold cheap; apply at Ledger office.

RAILROADS wants young men for telegraph and station service; good positions guaranteed. Address Telegraph dept., Hibernalia building, Market and Jones sts., San Francisco.

Pioneer flour is the best; have no other.

A Woman Hater.

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A crusty old bachelor told me this. He ought to be ashamed of himself: "Dear," said young Mrs. Herkimer, "what did you mean by saying to Tom Fowler that you are a woman hater? He'll tell his wife, and it will get all over town."

"Well, sweetheart, it doesn't matter to you, so long as I don't hate you." "Yes, it does. Every woman wishes her husband to be liked by other women. Of course your saying such a thing will make you dreadfully unpopular."

"It can't be helped now. The deed is done. Fowler, I know, is a dreadful gossip. I suppose I'll soon get cut right and left."

"Indeed you will. And what will people think of me? They will naturally infer that you have derived your bad opinion of our sex from me." "I shall continue to show them by my treatment of you that you are the only one of the lot I love."

The next evening Mr. and Mrs. Bob Herkimer went to Mrs. Ellis' reception. When they returned and were preparing for rest Mrs. Herkimer, doing her hair, said:

"Bob, I was standing among a group tonight when you passed with Gertrude Lee. A woman near me, not knowing I was your wife, said: "There goes that horrid Herkimer. He avows himself a woman hater. He should be read out of society."

"The lady's age?" asked Herkimer imperturbably.

"About fifty."

"Married or single?"

"Single."

"Name, please."

"Miss Susan Jones."

"Miss Jones doesn't count with me. She is aggressive, ambitious and, above all, very smart."

"That's the worst of it. She will say lots of bright things against you."

"Well, dear, I'll have to endure it. Good night. I'm tired and sleepy."

The Herkmirs were "out" a good deal, and Mrs. Herkimer was much troubled about an evident change in her husband's position. Several women whom he had known gave him the cut direct, while others spoke to him when they met him very coolly.

"You see," said his wife, "the folly of your indiscretion."

"I have not yet been cut by any woman whose opinion I value. Most of them are old maids, and none of them is of an especially feminine type. Mrs. Montague is the mother of a family, but she is more interested in the extension of the vote to women than the interests of her children. Mrs. Tweed is engaged in fighting her brothers and sisters over her late father's will. Mrs. Arbuckle is using Mrs. Tweed to help her into society. I'm waiting for a woman to cut me who is a real good, lovely woman."

"You'll find plenty of them in time."

"Very well, sweetheart; since you are so distressed about it I'll see what I can do to get myself liked again."

"Will you attempt to placate the women you have mentioned?"

"By no means. I shall attempt to overbalance their opinion by making friends with the most attractive."

Mrs. Herkimer maintained a profound silence for several minutes. Then she said:

"Perhaps you had better let the matter drop. They will find a new subject to talk about soon."

"You are the one to decide that matter, sweetheart. It is you who are sensitive over my disgrace, not I. Since you wish it I will take no action."

A few months later Mrs. Herkimer said in an impressive, measured tone to her husband at the breakfast table, "Bob, I have concluded to 'regret' all invitations for the balance of the year."

"Why so, sweetheart?" looking up, surprised, from his paper.

"For some time past I have noticed that certain women of our set are endeavoring to attract your attention."

"You don't mean it?"

"Yes, I do, and I don't like it."

"Do you blame me?"

"Not at all. They are making a dead set for you."

"You must be mistaken. That gossiping Fowler gave me a social black eye by spreading my talk about being a woman hater."

"U-m."

"Well?"

"It didn't work just the way I thought it would. It's true certain women were very bitter against you, but they were mostly of our higher grade of women, intellectually considered. I've been surprised to find that the women who covet attention have been swarming about you like so many disgusting bees."

"Oh!"

"The way Lucy Turnlee palavered over you at the Ashtons' last night was simply ludicrous. Her simpering, the way she rolled her eyes and, heaven knows, what flattery she gave you with that disagreeable tongue of hers were enough to make one ill. She's the sixth woman I've noticed making herself ridiculous about you, and, I confess, it annoys me."

"You surprise me. I hadn't noticed anything. How do you account for it? What's their game?"

"It all came of that ridiculous speech of yours about being a woman hater. In the first place, any woman likes to get where no other woman can get. These crazy things wish to be the only exception among a class you hate, first, to satisfy their own conceit, and, second, they think it gives them eclat."

He burst into a laugh and took her in his arms. ESTELLE MARSH.

ESTABLISHED 1855.

THE

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Published in the Center of the Richest

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Printed every Friday Afternoon

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Most Influential

Most Widely Circulated

And Only All-Home Print

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The Best Advertising Medium

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For the Miner

For the Merchant and Business Man

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OUR CLUBBING RATES:

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Is the most Complete to be found int the mountains.

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All kinds of Legal Blanks, Briefs and Transcripts printed promptly and

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OUR PRICES are RIGHT

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Published every Friday Afternoon

RICHARD WEBB.....Editor and Proprietor

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

One year (in advance).....\$3.00

One year (if not in advance).....3.00

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One or more copies, each.....0.5

Legal advertising—per square of 24 ems—First insertion.....\$1.00

Subsequent insertions—per square—each.....50

ENTERED AT THE POSTOFFICE AT JACKSON AS SECOND-CLASS MATTER.

THIS PAPER is kept on file at E. C. DAKE'S Advertising Agency, 770 Market street San Francisco, California, where contracts for advertising can be made for it

FRIDAY.....APRIL 30, 1909

LOCAL EDITORIAL COLUMN.

THE LESSON OF TARIFF MAKING.

The attention of the country, which has been fixed as it never was before on the method of making tariff laws, should not be relaxed until the new bill becomes a law.

It must be admitted that this should be adjusted with reference to the interests and just claims of the largest number, that it should be based on a national policy, not on the demands of particular interests. An attempt has been made by the committee on ways and means to put an unwarranted enormously increased tax on hosiery and gloves. This brought forth such an outcry from the women of every section of the country that the finance committee of the senate has recommended the duties on these articles should not be increased. This does not mean that the senate's recommendation will be the law. After being debated in the senate for some time the bill will be referred to a committee composed of members from the house and senate, and it is there the real work of making the new tariff will occur.

Statistics show that the hosiery and glove industries are amply protected. It has been figured out that the proposed advance in duties would increase the cost of living to an average family of six over \$20 per year. It would be a good idea for the women, and the men too for that matter, to write to Congressman Englebright on the subject, commending the senate's action and at the same time let him know what you think of a prohibitive tax on stockings and gloves. The lesson is being brought home to the country at large that congress will respond to the will of the people if they only insist on what they want. We believe in a protective tariff, but that does not imply that such a duty shall be imposed as will enable home manufacturers to combine and extort unreasonable prices for their goods.

The Ledger devoted four or five columns of space in an effort to convince its readers that it is illegal to set an advertisement in larger type than nonpariel. In other words, if an ad is displayed to attract notice the printer is a grafter in spite of the fact that the advertiser ordered his ad displayed,—Dispatch.

This is the last ditch of the silly Willie organ; the statements are false in every particular. The Ledger has never contended that it was illegal to set an "ad" in larger type than nonpariel. Neither have we attempted to make out that a printer is necessarily a grafter by "displaying" an advertisement. The charge that the Dispatch has been bowled out in the grafting business is not dependent upon either of these propositions; and they are only put forth by our cotemporary to deceive and cover up the real issue, which the Dispatch has not met, and cannot meet squarely. The truth is the Dispatch is guilty of barefaced grafting by its own documentary evidence. The offense does not consist in setting the notice in larger type than nonpariel, but in charging for nonpariel when the type used was twice that size, and necessarily occupied four times the space. In other words, the grafter charged 18 squares of measurement for each insertion, when the same only measured 4½ squares. If that is not grafting, then there is no such thing as grafting.

Neither does the statement that the advertisement was ordered displayed help the case in the least. No official is authorized to set up a different standard than the established rates. Indeed, the law expressly says that any printing ordered by any county official must not be at a cost in excess of the established rates. The excuse of the Dispatch tries to shift the blame for graft on to the shoulders of the official. It is a repetition of the "old old story"; "the woman beguiled me, and I did eat."

Swept Over Niagara

This terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings, growing ripples and faster current. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—dropsy, diabetes or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feelings return. "After long suffering from weak kidneys and lame back, one \$1.00 bottle wholly cured me," writes J. R. Blankenship, of Belk, Tenn. Only 50c a Spagnoli's Drug Store.

Unclaimed Letters.

Bob Jones 2, Mrs Mary Kullich, J N Mack, John Pisoni.

Children especially like Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup, as it tastes nearly as good as maple sugar. It not only heals irritation and allay inflammation, thereby stopping the cough, but it also moves the bowels gently and in that way drives the cold from the system. It contains no opiates. Sold by City Pharmacy, F W Kuhser, Prop.

NOTHING CAN TOUCH THE TWO HORSE BRAND

OVERALLS

LEVI STRAUSS & CO. SAN FRANCISCO

Hotel Arrivals

National: Thursday—T W Titus, W L Myers, [Stockton; A H Crane, Frank Turner, San Francisco; Hamilton Bradshaw, Chester, Pa.; Leo Gilbert, Oakland; H Frankwacht, Reno; L Kyne, Stockton; O E Berry, Sedalia, Mo.

Friday—D R Jones, F D Teller, Mr Cohen, San Francisco; F B Russell, Sacramento.

Saturday—R C McMillan, Portland; I G Bonney, C A McIntyre, E Pearson, Stockton; R W Steckel, Hamby mine; W E Stirnman, Defender.

Sunday—H C Crew, Minneapolis; A E Cohen, San Francisco; C W Lathleen, Sutter Creek; E D Boydston, Volcano; Mr and Mrs Laswell, Latrobe.

Monday—A M Molson, E W Lindquist, Jas Maguire, E M Whipple, San Francisco; J J Correll, Burt Warren, W D Curtis, Sacramento; W Stewart, H Woolsey, C A Lewis, Geo W Tantau, Ione; E D Gruttill, Drytown.

Tuesday—A F Velling, San Francisco; L J Mayres Ely Nevada; L Oliver, R Werber, Stockton.

Wednesday—C W Brown, Placerville, H E Diggles, J J McMalson and wife, San Francisco; Fred Breese, Pine Grove; E E Thompson, I W Van Zandt, H L Silverstein, San Francisco; R M Miller, Martells; J B Joyce, Defender; H A McQueen, Modesto.

Globe: Friday—H P Hanson, Berkeley, R J Heam and wife, Sacramento; Y J Hanson, E Merit, San Francisco; Y H McMillan, Oakland.

Saturday—Geo Perry, Los Angeles; Laurence White, Amador; H Edward, San Francisco.

Sunday—W Ludekins, Pine Grove; P J Hess, C Bartey, J O Staghenssy, C Klinger, San Francisco; Arthur Roberts, T Roberts, Michigan.

Monday—M L Boty, F Long, San Francisco; Tom Joy, Crafts; Geo Knapp, Mokelumne Hill; W O'Neil, Jackson; W Ludekins, F McKill, R E Peck, Stockton.

Tuesday—J J Ekel, Plymouth; M P Harold, San Francisco; D C Doyle, Sacramento; T H Robinson, Nelson, B C.; M Stoltz, L Payne, Merced.

Wednesday—F B Joyce, Defender; C C Lath, Stockton, Geo Allen, San Francisco; P D O'Brien, Pinole.

Your Chance Now.

We want to keep busy during the dull season.

Today we offer our great bargains to accomplish this.

Four hundred new styles to select from.

Every garment receives personal attention here.

Fit and workmanship guaranteed.

GEO. RAYMOND.

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you've yet to learn the bodily comfort it gives in the wettest weather

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Write for particulars.

Business is Good Thank You.

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1. Shorthand taught by a success-court reporter.

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The school you will eventually attend

Notice for Publication—01949

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Sacramento, Cal.

April 12, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Willis E. Hoss of Defender, Calif., who, on Dec 3, 1903, made H. B., No. 7614, for 1½ of SW¼, SE¼ of NW¼ and Lot 3, Section 2, Township 7 N., Range 13 E., Mount Diablo Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five years proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before U. S. Commissioner for Amador county, Calif., at his office in Jackson, Calif., on the 22nd day of May 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses.

Arthur E. Lessley, Walter R. Webster, James Shafer and A. H. A. Burbank, all of Defender, Calif.

JOHN F. ARMSTRONG, ap16 Register.

02646

Notice of Selection

Under Act of June 4, 1897.

(39 Stats., 36)

United States Land Office at Sacramento, State of California.

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company has filed in this office its lien selection under Act of June 4, 1897, (39 Stats., 36) for the NE¼ of SE¼ and Lot 1 of Sec. 33, T. 5 N., R. 10 E., M. D. M.

A copy of this notice has been conspicuously posted in this office for the inspection of persons interested and the public generally.

During the five weeks' period of publication of this notice, or any time thereafter, and before final approval and certification, this office will receive protests or contests as to any of the tracts applied for, and transmit same to the General Land Office.

Dated, Sacramento, Calif., April 12, 1909.

JOHN F. ARMSTRONG, Register.

WILL A. NEWCOM, Receiver.

Date of first publication April 16, 1909.

KAUFMAN'S

The Specialty House

For Women and Children.

Cor. 7th and K sts. Sacramento

Kaufman Styles are Fashion Right.

AN INVITATION.

To all visitors in this city on Sacramento's Natal Day, Saturday April 24th., we extend a most cordial invitation to visit Sacramento's handsomest and most unique store.

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Fine Sample Rooms for Commercial Travelers.

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1st. We have served the needs of the Pacific Coast for 50 years.

2nd. Our long experience has enabled us to weed out the weak spots of manufacturing.

3rd. Our reputation was built up by always bettering our product.

4th. Our policy of making only the best has produced results economically beneficial for our customers.

5th. WE GUARANTEE OUR SHOES AND THAT PROTECTS YOU.

For Summer wear be highly recommend our VELVET TAN BUCKSKIN BLUCHER with Mercury Elk Soles, a shoe that is soft and so strong that there is practically no wear out to it.

FREE TRIP

TO THE COALINGA OIL FIELDS

The greatest money-making oil fields in this country are those located at Coalinga, Fresno county. Stupendous fortunes have been made there from modest investments in the past few years. Only the surface of the possibilities there has been scratched. Now is the time to really make money there for the big boom is just starting. We want one or two persons from each locality to come to Coalinga AT OUR EXPENSE to see just what a modest investment can be made to do there. We are on the ground and know the best opportunities, and we say without reservation that just now the stock of the New York Coalinga Oil Co., bought at the present low price of 25c per share will show bigger profits and greater earning power than any other investment possible.

To absolutely satisfy you that California Oil is the greatest money-making industry of the world, to thoroughly and unconditionally satisfy you that no investment can legitimately give you quicker and greater returns than good oil stock, to absolutely satisfy you as to the value of the New York Coalinga Oil Co., and that in this stock at 25 cents per share you have the greatest money-making opportunity of your life, we want you to come to Coalinga AT OUR EXPENSE and let us take you all over this wonderful oil field and our property. There are no strings tied to this offer. You need buy no stock unless you want to buy it worse than we want to sell it to you.

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